

# RESIDENCY

## NEWSLETTER

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## INPATIENT UPDATES

### ED Boarder Trial to start Jan 14th!

- ✓ Pilot Project described in last All Resident Meeting by Moeller/Tornabene/Ne to address the following issues:
  - ✓ Instituting resident caps/reduce resident stress
  - ✓ Improve hospital flow
  - ✓ Improve patient safety in an especially vulnerable patient population
  - ✓ Published study available as our guide in the pilot process
- ✓ Attendings to cover all ER boarders from 7:45am-5pm M-F
  - ✓ Will physically be stationed in ED
  - ✓ Will completely manage care (notes, orders, etc)
  - ✓ When/if pt gets bed, to contact new resident primary team for sign-out
- ✓ Individual residents involved (night teams, IP teams) to be contacted with details of transition
- ✓ Contact Ne with questions/feedback

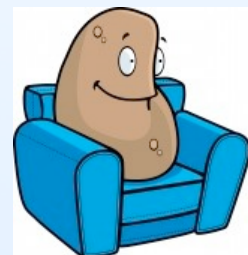
### Weekend Rounders Update

- ✓ Sufficient number of staff attendings have stepped up to fill the weekend rounding spots needed!
- ✓ Previous locums proposal therefore OFF the table for now!
- ✓ Long term solutions being considered by Inpatient Taskforce



### New couches, new computers, oh my!

- ◆ Stop by IMCU workroom and res lounge to have your mind blown away
- ◆ Give Pitch a hug for getting it done
- ◆ Phones on the way



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## **Don't forget to attend Monday Night Applicant Dinners!!!!!!**

Future Dates:

- Jan 7th- Michelle Robello (Mtz)
- Jan 14th- Jim Walls (Oak)
- Jan 21st- Parr (Mtz)
- Jan 28th- Jay/Ne (Oak)

*Many thanks to our prior hosts:*

*Mega & JHamilton*

*Kate*

*Froyd*

*BBB*

*Ballorteus*

*Rohizzle*

*Rads and CHammy*

## **Give Feedback on Medical Students!!!!**

- ✓ Remember to PLEASE PLEASE PLEASE submit feedback on students that rotated with us or you had any meaningful interaction with!

## **Residency Interviews**

- ✓ Thanks to all those volunteering to do interviews/tours
- ✓ Please send in interview summaries within 24 hours, it's necessary for ranking!
- ✓ Please make every attempt to attend interview day lunches, generally Noon Conference on Mondays and Tuesdays that we have interviews

## **Ranking Committee**

- ✓ Come join the ranking committee to review applications for the Match!
- ✓ Meetings every Wednesday 5:30pm-7:30pm through mid-February.
- ✓ Contact Kate Goheen to sign-up to review applications to present at the meetings or just show up to give your input!

## **Match Rules**

- ✓ New Guidelines for NRMP (Match) code of conduct attached to email!
- ✓ Brief version:
  - ✓ We (CCRMC) can express interest in a candidate, but we are not allowed to ask applicants specifically how they will rank us
  - ✓ Can't ask applicants about race/religion/age/sexual orientation/family status
- ✓ Basically using common sense will serve you well, but see attached document for further details

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## **Director's Corner**

**Some key points from our New Program Director Kristin Moeller!**

- Interview season is going pretty well -- lots of great candidates and great attendance at ranking meetings - Thank you everyone!
- Finishing meetings with residents after fall review - hope to schedule most of the rest in the next 2-3 weeks!
- R1-Program director meeting - great meeting last month and planning for a follow up Jan 23 at noon (will contact the R1s separately about this)
- Intraining exam results available in the next couple of weeks
- RLG structure - I should be emailing out soon a "primer" on the RLG as requested at the last meeting
- If the residents lobby Gunther, maybe they can get him to do a Feuerzangenbowle at the retreat in March (we need someone to replace Ernie burning something with alcohol)



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## 2013 Annual All-Resident Retreat & Educational Conference!!!

Join us at Camp Richardson in Lake Tahoe for fun in the snow, snuggling by the fire, good food and great company! Also, **LEARN SOMETHING**- planned workshops include an alumni panel, wilderness medicine, impact of the Affordable Care Act, and much more!

Cost is free to residents, and \$90 each for partners and attendings. 90 bucks covers the cost of **FIVE MEALS** and **TWO NIGHTS STAY**- that's like paying \$35 a night and \$4 per meal- a bargain no matter how you look at it! Turn money into Tami in the Residency office no later than Friday February 22. You'll receive an email shortly asking for your rooming preferences. We'll do the absolute best we can to accommodate everyone's needs.

Finally, if it wasn't obvious, this is a mandatory activity- we have attendings that are graciously covering for us that entire weekend just so we could get away. If you're out of the country for a planned elective or have a new baby or some other really good excuse, **PLEASE** let us know so we can cross you off the list. Otherwise, we'll see you there!

Questions? Ask Lisa Rodelo, [lrodelo@ccfamilymed.com](mailto:lrodelo@ccfamilymed.com), cell 415-810-3236, pager 549.



### All Resident Retreat Snapshot

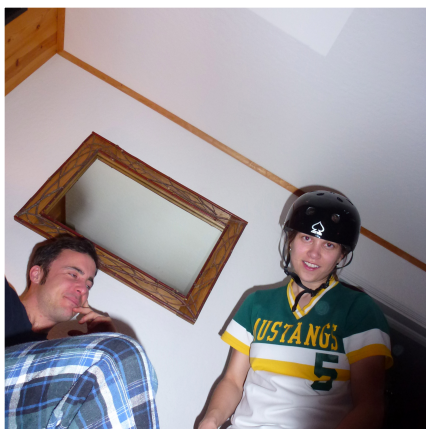
#### Save the Date!

**March 22-24th**

- ★ *Mandatory Attendance for Residents*
- ★ *CHEAP vacation for partners/families*
- ★ *Encourage attendings to join the fun!*
- ★ *Contact Lisa Rodelo for any questions*

**\*\*Remember to give Lisa a big thanks for spearheading this much needed event :)**

## Volunteering is fun :)



**Remember to bring your helmets!**

★As a reminder, this retreat is a **TEAM EFFORT** and depends entirely on **US RESIDENTS** to get it done. We will need help preparing meals (planning, shopping, coordinating, cooking), and cleaning up afterwards. We will also need lots of help with transportation of food and materials to/from Tahoe. Finally, we will need help planning our educational program: The following residents volunteered to help with programming:

➡ Courtney Wright, Dave Piccinati, Jim Walls, Christina Hamilton, Brent Porteous, Leah Schweid, Erin Stratta, Jeana Radosevich

★These guys are responsible for all the stimulating education we'll receive. If you'd like to contribute, let one of them or Lisa know. We'll be hunting down the rest of you to help with the cooking and cleaning

★Meals are usually as follows:

Friday dinner: on your own

Breakfast (both days)- interns prepare

Lunch (both days)- sandwiches

Saturday dinner: crock pot stuff, salad, etc



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## Happy Holidays

### RRC Visit

- ❖ We need 12 resident representatives for RRC (Residency Review Committee) visit the morning of 2/28/12.
- ❖ Residents on rotations where you would be available have been emailed, if you haven't responded to Ne please do
- ❖ RLG is actively discussing RRC visit and info will come out when available!

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### NEXT ALL RESIDENT MEETING:

• January 18th

*Residency newsletter is a production that is sent out every other block when there is NOT an All Residency Meeting (these meetings are scheduled first Friday of block from 12:15-2pm, clinics cancelled until 2:30pm. Upcoming 2012-2013 dates are :*

1/18/13  
3/8/13  
5/3/13

*\*Contact us about ideas or pictures you have for newsletter*

### Roster Size Increase

- ❖ Every January Resident Family Practice clinics increase as residents become more comfortable in clinic
- ❖ Following will be the new numbers for January
  - R1: 4->5
  - R2: 6->7
  - R3: 7->8

DOCTOR I'M TIRED ALL THE TIME

We know you're tired... but a big THANKS to everyone who is working the holidays and to Michelle who tackled the scheduling!



### Happy Birthday Blocks 7, 8 & 9!

Ashley Ballard 11/5  
Abby L 12/16  
Lisa Rodelo 12/13  
Rita Hamad 12/20  
Rardin 1/24